

JUST GLEANINGS

OIL IN STEVEVILLE FIELD

Indications of a new oil field at Alberta were seen Monday night as Anglo Canadian's No. 2 well at Stevvie blew in with tremendous gas and oil flow, blowing crude to the top of the derrick. Early reports from the field were that the test well was blowing out of control with wet gas flowing estimated at 10,000,000 cubic feet per day. No estimate of crude oil production could be given.

When the crew ran the drill stem back into the well Monday to make a test and without drilling any of the cement plug, which was nine feet in the line, the well broke loose, throwing the 3300 feet of heavy drilling fluid high into the air and immediately began to flow oil.

SHOULD CONVERT MANY FARM AREAS BACK TO GRAZING

WINNIPEG—Many Saskatchewan and Alberta farm areas should be converted into grazing land or community pastures, since they are not yielding the farmers a satisfactory return, J. C. Cole, senior economist in charge of the service division of the federal department of agriculture, declared recently.

Since 1929 Mr. Cole has been engaged in a survey to determine the productivity of Alberta and Saskatchewan farm lands for wheat growing, with a view to establishing a basis for readjustment of western agriculture.

Of 78 municipalities in the province, the drought area of Saskatchewan, near Moose Jaw, 38 per cent of the farm lands were found unsuitable for wheat growing. The percentage was higher in Alberta, he thought.

If you have visitors, or know of any unique happenings it makes news and The Chronicle would be glad to hear of it.

ANGORA WOOL FROM CANADIAN RABBITS

Centered in the village of Abercorn, Quebec, one of the newest of Canadian industries, the breeding of angora rabbits on a commercial scale, is now entering its third prosperous year. Run on a co-operative unit of several breeders the industry boasts about six hundred angoras, each producing about a pound and a half of wool a year. An increasing demand for the silky, long-haired wool is aiding the industry in its growth.

Eight times as much as "sheep's" wool, angora is in demand as a lining for aviations uniforms, muffa, gloves and scarves. Hollywood also uses angora to line silk dresses to prevent them from rustling before the microphones.

A feature of the Canadian wool is that it does not shed like the imported varieties. The Great Mountain climate and the diet which includes a combination of feeded salt are said to be responsible for the superiority of the Canadian wool.

Dick Heath was a Calgary visitor the first part of the week.

Good progress was made in the work of cleaning up the streets yesterday afternoon and there is now a noticeable improvement in the appearance of the local "beauty spot".

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OFFER TO SPLIT BAIT FOR 'HOPPERS MADE TO CARBON MUNICIPALITY

Would Use Aeroplane to Distribute the Poison

2 BY-LAWS PASSED

Councillors J. J. Ohlhauser, C. B. Byrns, H. Offer, H.H. Crowell, J.W. Olson and Reeve John R. McEwan were present at the council meeting of the Municipal District of Carbon held on May 2nd.

It was decided to operate the grasshopper bait-mixing station again this year and Chas. Trumbley was appointed as operator.

Then motioned to wild lands in the municipality eligible for assessment under the terms of the M.D. Act, a motion was passed to this effect.

A communication was received from the Insulaid of Lebrasside asking if the municipality would consider an offer to spread grasshopper poison by aeroplane. The secretary was instructed to get further particulars on the offer.

By-law No. 80, providing for the purchase of an elevating grader was given three readings and passed.

By-law No. 81, giving the farmers an opportunity to consolidate taxes during 1939, was passed.

Reeve J.R. McEwan reported on the meeting of the Drumheller Municipal Board held April 29th, and stated that a proposal was made to build an isolation hospital at Drumheller. Specifications of the proposed building are being secured from the Department of Health and will be received a further decision will be taken place at another meeting. The rural re-education hospital at Drumheller did not receive the proposal very favorably.

The relief list of the municipality was reviewed and some cancellations made.

The secretary was instructed to get in touch with the Water Dept. of the City of Calgary to purchase price of used sewer pipes, which could be used for culvert purposes.

The secretary was also authorized to write to the Land Department of the C.P.R. regarding weed eradication in their property within the boundaries of the municipality.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Mrs. McCurdy, Mr. and Mrs. Herb McCurdy and son, and Wilfred Skerry were in town on Friday and returned Tuesday evening, accompanied by Miss Carmen Bingham of Carleton Place, visiting with Mr. and Mrs. McCurdy.

Len Poxon is doing considerable work on his corner lot next to the house and is putting in a rock garden.

Little enthusiasm was shown at the meeting held last Friday to discuss re-organization of the Golf Club.

DUST STORMS NUMEROUS

High winds the past week have brought dust storms almost daily, although Monday was by far the worst when at about 4 o'clock in the afternoon the skies were black and visibility was reduced to less than 100 yards. Fortunately rain showers occurred on the Thursday and Friday previously and as a result soil drifting has been kept to a minimum, although by the display of dust Monday some farm lands to the north-west must have been badly hit—not having moved to a new location altogether.

BANK OF MONTREAL CROP REPORT ISSUED MAY 4

General—While spring operations are from ten days to three weeks late in the East, those in Western Canada are about normal. In the Prairie provinces spring operations are about normal and what seeding is progressing favorably. Indications are that the total acreage may be slightly less than it was last year. Surface moisture is adequate to ensure germination, but in some sections there is a deficiency of subsoil reserves. Good rains in Manitoba have checked soil drifting and have improved moisture conditions. Some drifting has occurred in parts of Saskatchewan and Alberta, but little damage has been reported. In Quebec the spring break-up has been from ten days to three weeks late, and with fields in many districts still snow-covered, work on the land has not yet commenced. In Ontario heavy snowfalls late in the season and cold weather have retarded the greater part of April have retarded land operations, which are about two weeks late. In the Prairie provinces the spring operations are about the average date and is approximately half completed in the southern and west-central districts. Moisture generally is sufficient for germination but there is little reserve. Hot drier winds from the south are common in the central and southern districts, with some soil drifting in the extreme south. The average of the various crops is expected to be similar to that of last year.

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CARBON BASEBALL CLUB RE-ORGANIZES FOR THE SEASON AT MEETING WED.

P. Edwards, President; B. Kapaniuk, Sec.-Treas.

GOOD BALL TEAM

A re-organization meeting of the Carbon senior baseball club was held in the Garrett Motors office on Wednesday, May 3rd. It was decided to again operate this year and the following officers were elected:

President, Percy Edwards, Sec.-Treas., Bill Kapaniuk, Coach, Vern Harney, Manager, Jack Mathers.

The necessary work on the diamond was discussed and it was decided to repair the back stop.

Twelve officers of the team, to be selected by the secretary, will collect the club uniforms. The baseball club operated successfully last year, and with the additional players Carbon should have a good ball team this season.

The club has sent in an application for membership in the Carbon Senior Baseball Association, which will be held at the Old Sports Ground on May 24, and at that date the local boys should be ready for the season's play.

THE ACREAGE BONUS PLAN

The Federal government has decided to change its wheat legislation and instead of covering the same will be re-written.

A minimum price of 70c per bushel is being guaranteed for the acreage bonus plan. The acreage bonus plan is being changed to the following:

One dollar an acre where the yield is from 8 to 12 bushels. One dollar and fifty cents where the yield is 4 to 8 bushels.

Two dollars an acre where the yield is more than 4 bushels. In areas of not more than 135 townships in any province where crop failures occur from drought or grasshoppers \$2.50 an acre will be paid on top of the guaranteed minimum price of not more than 5,000 bushels of wheat in any crop year. A penalty of 10c a bushel, or imprisonment not exceeding six months, shall be provided for farmers who attempt to get the minimum price on more than that volume of wheat.

SOWING GRASSES AND LEGUME MIXTURES FOR HAY

Farmers who intend to sow grasses or legumes for hay ought to give serious consideration to sowing a mixture. There are a number of reasons why mixtures are superior to either crop grown alone alone for hay purposes. The yield of alfalfa hay has been found to be increased slightly by the addition of a small amount of grass seed. Too large a percentage of grass, however, decreases the yield as compared to straight alfalfa.

Very often a hay crop is sown on land which is inclined to blow. In such cases grass provides more fibre for the soil when it is re-broken, and the legume builds up the nitrogen content. In this way, both the soil fertility and the fibre in the soil are increased. A mixture of grass and alfalfa is more effective than alfalfa alone for controlling weeds. The grass seeds will add a smothering effect which assists materially in controlling noxious and other weeds.

It is a common mistake in this province to cut grass hay too late to secure the maximum feed value from it. With a mixture of alfalfa and a grass the tendency will be to cut the alfalfa at the proper stage of growth. By cutting at this time, a higher feed value will be obtained from the mixture than would have been secured had it been left until late in the season.

In the dark belt of the province and in the grey wooded soils, a mixture consisting of alfalfa and timothy has been found satisfactory. Timothy requires considerable moisture and its use is therefore limited to those areas where rainfall is adequate. On the open prairie and in areas where rainfall is limited, alfalfa and grass, or Wheat Grass is recommended. Alfalfa with Hume may be grown successfully in the park belt or in areas of the open prairie where moisture is not a limiting factor.

The following rates per acre are suggested:

Alfalfa 8 pounds—Timothy 2 pounds. Alfalfa 8 pounds—Hume 6 pounds. Alfalfa 8 pounds—Crested Wheat Grass 6 pounds.

Nurse crops are not recommended for alfalfa, either when sown alone or in a mixture. In all cases the nurse should be sown in a well prepared seed bed and under suitable moisture conditions.

SWIMMING POOL NOTES

Work has been proceeding this week at the pool on the boiler, which is being set down below the ground surface to provide better heating arrangements.

The Pool should be ready for operation about May 24th.

The pool came through the winter in fine shape and no cracks in the cement were caused by frost. A day's work will have the pool ready for the water.

70¢ PRICE INSUFFICIENT SAYS ELEVATOR MAN

William McG. Rait, member of the North-West Grain Dealers' Association and a member of the Brokenhead delegation which waited on Premier King and the Federal cabinet at Ottawa, made the following statement with reference to the Government's announced wheat legislation:

"The changes in agricultural legislation, especially the increase in the basic price of wheat to seventy cents, are a practical recognition of the justice of the claims put forward by the Brokenhead Committee. I do not consider this a satisfactory, however, as it is not sufficient to maintain the wheat industry on the prairie."

"The proposal to limit the price benefit to a maximum of 3,000 bushels delivered by an individual farmer is an arbitrary decision. It gives no consideration to the economic factors surrounding larger scale farm operations and will bear heavily on a large and very essential class of farmers. Furthermore, if open market prices remain below 70 cents, these larger scale farmers will be selling their excess over 3,000 bushels in competition with the Wheat Board."

"Assistance to farmers with poor crops is a welcome feature of the legislation. It should be emphasized, however, that all these are emergency measures. The more permanent problems have yet to be studied and solved. Determined effort must be made to reduce farm costs and expand markets so as to prevent the recurrence of such emergencies in the future."

TO MOTHER ON MOTHERS' DAY

"At last last year, your children, have donated a day each year to you, Mother. You have given them those days of to you, sacrificed that you might be pleased, remaining awake that we might sleep, gone without that we might have, borne our sorrows, eased our pains, shared our secrets, and slaved for us. We give to you the Fourteenth of May and pledge ourselves to make it your happiest day. Rest, Mother? We, your children, are today your slaves."

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Worth Investigating

If statements made by George A. Hurst of Regina, as they appear in pamphlet entitled "Salvaging the Hudson Bay Route," which has recently been widely distributed by the On-to-the-Bay Association, are well founded, it would appear that it is high time Western Canadians gave some attention to allegations that the route is being throttled and gave some consideration to a resolution recently passed by the Association.

The resolution to which reference is made reads:

"That this Association go on record as being in favor of the principle of Western Canada management of the commercial facilities of the Port of Churchill, and that they should be brought under the control and management of a Western organization in conjunction with the provincial governments of Saskatchewan and Manitoba."

In preferring his charges that the route is being undermined and rendered ineffective, partly because of lack of knowledge or indifference on the part of some who should have the western farmers' interests at heart and partly because the grain trade, in conjunction with remote officialdom in helping of the route with impossible restrictions, Mr. Hart should know whether he speaks for during most of the construction period and the entire time the port has been in operation up to January, 1938, he resided and worked at Churchill as accountant for the Dominion government.

It is perhaps significant that, while the On-to-the-Bay Association disclaims any responsibility for the correctness of the statements and charges made by Mr. Hurst in his pamphlet, the Association evidently considers them of sufficient importance to warrant wide publicity for them, by making arrangements for distribution of the pamphlet and by pointing out that although the content was published earlier in a series of articles "as far as we are aware no one has come forward to dispute the truth of the statements made."

Inquiry Desirable

The fact that Mr. Hurst was in a particularly favorable position to secure the information on which he bases his premises, coupled with the sponsorship of the pamphlet by the On-to-the-Bay Association, indicates that he has carefully steered clear of politics in its activities, indicates the desirability of an inquiry being made into the method of operating the route, with a view to some change in the form of management of the port and its facilities if such an investigation shows that the efficiency of the route is being stifled by counter interests and the interests of the producers are not being protected.

When it is remembered that over fifty million dollars has been invested in the Hudson Bay railway and the Port of Churchill and its facilities and that, if Mr. Hurst is correct, the great bulk of the cost was borne by the west, no one should be left uncertain to see that the westerners' interest in this large expenditure is protected, and that it is made to yield the return which was expected of it during the half century fight to establish a short and direct export and import route between the prairies and the European countries.

If the port is being allowed to languish and the route to die of inanition, as Mr. Hurst claims when he speaks of it as the "starved and unwanted child," with specific reference to the route, it should be left in the hands of those who are best qualified to take the necessary steps to revive the route and, if possible, to make it the important and effective artery it was intended to be.

Interesting Suggestions

Any person who reads the pamphlet with care cannot fail to be impressed with the background of knowledge of his subject apparently displayed by Mr. Hurst and the apparent prima facie case which he makes out for a change in the administration of the port and its facilities and other proposals designed to cheapen the use of the route and enable it to return greater dividends to prairie producers and Western business.

Not the least interesting suggestion, Hurst's statements are contained in the chapter devoted to freight rates, in which he contends that the average rate on the Great Lakes from 1932 to 1937 was 4½ cents compared with an average of 8½ cents before Churchill entered the lists as a competitor.

If the figures are correct there seems to be some foundation for the assumption that, even though only a small fraction of the cost was handed through the Bay route during that period, the very existence of this alternative artery had an important bearing on the returns to the farmer for the entire crop in that six-year period, provided the savings were returned to the producer.

On this basis, what might happen to rates on the Great Lakes were the Bay route to be rendered a negative factor and the Port of Churchill closed up as a "white elephant" is a subject for interesting speculative thought.

Even if some of Mr. Hurst's claims could not be established, the suggestion that the administration of the port be turned over to a body of Westerners, who could be expected to stem stagnation or worse, and be actively to promote business for the Hudson Bay route seems to be a rational one. After all, the west is the parent of the project and could surely be depended upon to nourish the youngster much better than a foster mother.

King George Opens Hospital

Children's Wings Bear Names of The Two Royal Princesses

The King opened the new Westminister Hospital in London, and, in reply to an address on behalf of the governors of the institution, said the new buildings "incorporate the latest improvements in hospital planning and technique." His Majesty announced that the children's wings of the new hospital will bear the names of his daughters and be known as "Princess Elizabeth Wing" and "Princess Margaret Rose Wing."

England is showing more interest in wheat, according to overseas dispatches.

Weather proof mirrors have been devised for use in astronomical and optical measuring instruments.

A New Industry

Iceland Spar Is Being Developed In South-West Africa

A new industry—the production of Iceland Spar—is being developed in South-West Africa, the former German colony which is now held under mandate by the Union of South Africa.

Reserves are said that South-West Africa would be able to fulfill the requirements of the entire world.

There are estimated to be 200 radio sets in operation for each 1,000 residents of the United States.

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Visible Gold Stock

More Than Half Of All Gold Held In United States

The United States held 58 per cent of the visible gold stock in the world at the end of 1937, the economic study service of the League of Nations reported.

An increase of \$175,000,000 in American gold reserves holdings during the year resulted largely from gold shipments from Europe during international tension.

Holdings in the British stabilization fund, declined one-half during the six months ending last September 30. An additional "considerable reduction" occurred in the last three months of the calendar year.

Germany was reported to have fortified her gold reserve in March, 1938, by obtaining public and private holdings in Austria with the exception of that country's Japan's gold reserve was completely exhausted in July, 1938.

SELECTED RECIPES

JELLY PANCAKES

- 1½ cups sifted Swans Down Cake
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- 1½ teaspoons Calumet Baking Powder
- 1½ teaspoons salt
- 1½ cups sugar
- 2 egg yolks, slightly beaten
- 1 cup milk
- 2½ cups sugar melted butter or other shortening
- 2 egg whites, stiffly beaten

Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder, salt, and sugar, and mix. Combine egg yolks and milk and add gradually to flour, beating only until smooth. Stir in melted butter or other shortening. Bake on greased griddle. Sprinkle with powdered sugar or serve rolled around broiled sausage or bacon. Makes about seven 7-inch pancakes.

FRUIT PIE, NEW STYLE

- 2 cups very finely shredded Shredded Wheat Biscuits (3-4 inch pieces)
- 1 tablespoon cinnamon
- 2 egg whites, stiffly beaten
- 1 cup melted butter
- 3 cups drained cooked dried apricots
- 2 egg whites
- Combine the Shredded Wheat crumbs cinnamon and ½ cup of the sugar, add the butter, and mix well. Pat ½ cups of this into a 9-inch pie pan and bake 15 minutes in a hot oven of 400 degrees F. Cool slightly. Arrange the fruit in the lined pie plate, and top with a meringue made by beating the egg whites until stiff, then adding the remaining ½ cup sugar, while continuing to beat. Top with the remaining ½ cup of the sugar. Bake in a slow oven of 200 degrees F. until set and delicately browned. Cool. Makes one 9-inch pie. Serves six.

A Universal Alphabet

Has Been Perfected By An Engineer In Australia

To aid children in learning foreign languages J. R. Arden, engineer, Sydney, Australia, after four years of work has perfected a universal alphabet, embracing all sounds used in foreign languages and of which human speech is capable. The characters for the universal alphabet are like shorthand outlines.

The grave of Publius Nodius Zethus, ancient Roman banker, had a basket, a four mill a sifter, and various containers and baking molds carved on his tomb.

In England, 85 persons have incomes of more than a half million dollars a year.

Ammonia is obtained on a commercial scale as a by-product when coal gas is made.

British Navy Not Asleep

Five Old Fighting Ships Converted Into First Class Units

Anyone who thinks the British navy has fallen asleep behind a few batteries of obsolete guns may have a rude awakening if the theory is ever tested.

Newspapers of the world listed the building of the twenty cruisers Berkeley, Kent, Cornwall, Devon, Devonport and Suffolk, the camberome, weakly-armed fighting ships adopted by all the great powers. But it is generally known that these "obsolete" ships dating back to 1927, all have been converted into strongly armed, fast and heavily protected battle units in the last three years. Each now carries two amphibian fighting planes in addition to heavier guns and more torpedoes tubes.

The Berkeley has just gone out to the flagship of the American and West Indies stations. She carries eight eight-inch guns; eight four-inch anti-aircraft guns on high angle mounts with range of 45,000 feet; four three-pounder pom-poms for anti-destroyer defence; and eight 21-inch torpedo tubes mounted on the deck. She also has added side and deck protection.

The Berkeley overhaul cost more than \$3,000,000. That will give some idea of what has been done to these five cruisers. It does not draw as much attention as launching five new battleships, but it is almost as effective.

Police Dog Made Good

Turned In Neat Job On First Assignment For R.C.M.P.

The newest member of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police in Nova Scotia, trained police dog, turned in a neat job on the first assignment. The dog found two young Indian boys a few hours after they strayed away from the Indian school at Schubenacadie about 40 miles from Halifax.

When the boys were reported missing, the police were called in. A piece of clothing of one of the boys gave the dog the scent and it started into the dense woods back of the school. The first youth was found about 4½ miles from the building. After the dog was returned to the school for a rest, it picked up the scent of the second youth from one of his shirts. It followed the original trail for five miles, then branched off and at a distance of three and a half miles farther on the other boy was discovered.

The dog, a 20-month-old Doberman Pinscher, is one of 33 used by police in Canada. It was trained at the Regina headquarters.

Palatine Question

Manifest Urges Arabs To Lay Down Their Arms

Arab circles reported King Ibn Saud of Saudi Arabia and the regent of Iraq were issuing a manifesto urging Palestine Arabs to lay down their arms in their conflict with Great Britain and the French.

It was hoped by its sponsors that the manifesto, addressed to the exiled Grand Mufti of Jerusalem, Haj Amin Effendi A. Husseini, would pave the way for Arab acceptance of British proposals for settlement of the Palestine question. The Grand Mufti is in Syria.

Synthetic rubber made experimentally from petroleum gases is seen as much cheaper than synthetic rubber from coal.

Previous to horsehoeing, horses' hooves were covered with socks or sandal.

Approximately 25 per cent of the milk produced in New York state is utilized in making butter and other products.

It took a year and a half to drill one oil well nearly three miles deep in California.

Women's Institutes

Spent Week Being Carried On In The Rural Areas

The reports which are being presented at the annual meetings of different branches of the Women's Institutes throughout the surrounding territory make it clear that these organizations, which represent one of Canada's greatest contributions to rural welfare and improvement, have not lost their zest for service which has been an important part of their activities since the time of their establishment.

All over Ontario, in cross-road centres as well as in villages and sometimes fairly large towns, the Women's Institutes are continuing to devote themselves with all the vigor and resources at their command to betterment of conditions in the communities in which they are situated. They are doing so, not with the idea of benefiting themselves or gaining publicity for the movement with which they are connected, but to the end that the villages and communities in which they are established may be better and happier places in which to live.

Life in many a rural centre has been all but transformed in consequence of the operation of an active and devoted Institute and what has been accomplished by these organizations frequently puts the efforts of men belonging to the same communities to shame—Brookville Recorder and Times.

Getting Back To Normal

Canada's Clothing Industry Making Good Recovery From Slump

A person can do without new clothes more easily than without food. Hence a depression hit the clothing industry hard, how hard a report just issued by the Dominion bureau of statistics indicates. The women's factory clothing industry, which of course supplies only part of the clothes Canadian women wear, but which also produces children's clothes, had an output in 1929 worth \$66,500,000 factory value.

In 1932 production was down to \$42,000,000. But from then on, it increased every year until in 1937 it exceeded \$60,500,000, nearly all for home consumption as exports of wearing apparel total only \$2,500,000.

The men's factory clothing industry suffered even more from the depression, its output dropping from \$20,500,000, factory value, in 1929 to just a little more than \$20,000,000 in 1933, but by 1937 it was up to \$45,250,000.

The combined factory output of the two industries in 1937 was thus \$105,750,000, and more than \$100,000,000 of that production was in the two central provinces. Toronto Star Weekly.

Would Be Handy

To hit the market soon is a patented rain-controlled awning, which automatically lowers itself after the first few drops of rain and just as automatically folds up when a downpour ceases.

A Minnesota physician has invented an oxygen mask for use during airplane flights at extreme altitudes and has just over the nose, leaving the eyes and mouth free.

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LEFT THE ARMY WITH RHEUMATISM

Now Fit To Join Again

Twenty years ago, left the army, contended with rheumatic fever, he is fit and nimble—a merry, roving grizzled, 61 years young.

"I came out of the army with rheumatism," he writes. "It was rheumatism in my feet. I started taking Kruschen Salt, and in a few months I found relief from my rheumatism. I became grizzled, 61 years old, fit and nimble, and always ready to play with my grandchildren."

Many people grow old long before their time because they neglect one vital need of health—the need for internal cleanliness. Eventually, they adopt the healthy Kruschen habit. Then, probably for the first time in their lives, they start getting rid of every day waste matter from the system. The result is renewed health and vigor. Ailments due to a clogged system vanish, youth returns, and life becomes really worth living.

Stone Instead Of Steel

Germany Building Bridges On Patent Form Of Reinforced Concrete

Germany, in its drive for self-sufficiency, has revived the ancient Roman style of bridge building to save steel. Having discarded the use of Reinforced Concrete, German engineers are now building bridges of stone, concrete, and steel. The German Bureau of Public Roads, told how almost all the bridges of the Reich's "autobahns," or arterial highways, were being built of natural stone, just as in the days of the Romans.

Some of the most modern highway engineers is a member of a commission of Reich traffic and auto experts which announced it had been sent to the United States to buy American automobile motors—"because they are far superior" to anything in Europe.

Some of the natural stone speedway bridges, Dr. Wehrer revealed, were 200 feet high, and one spanned a river 2,400 feet across with 16 sweeping arches.

"They cost two to three times as much to build as the steel and concrete spans," he said. "However, not only has a shortage of steel made them necessary, but they are actually a better investment. They'll outlast the modern type just as the old Roman roads have outlasted subsequent counterparts."

In addition, he pointed out, the construction of a natural stone span could be carried out in all types of weather whereas this was not true of steel-and-concrete projects.

Important Discovery

Avoid Cure For Pellagra Brings Award To Young Student

A \$1,000 award for discovery that nicotinic acid will cure pellagra was given to Conrad Arnold Elvehjem, young University of Wisconsin biochemistry professor, at the closing meeting of the American Institute of Nutrition.

Nicotinic acid is a vitamin, but for 50 years it had been kicking around in laboratory shelves with no one suspecting its ability to cure what was long one of the most serious of human diseases.

Among the exhibits at the New England Antiques Show are dolls which were the object of Queen Mary's visit to a London shop and taken to Boston for the antiques show.

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his discovery.

PATTERN 6362

The Indians made colorful rugs—but they didn't have the wide choice of materials to work with that we do. You can crochet this smart Indian rug (it's entirely in single crochet) of just rags or inexpensive canvas, four strands of string. Or, if you'd be more elegant, rags yarn! The contrasting colors or two shades of one color work out well. Pattern 62 includes instructions and color photographs for rug illustrations of 10 different stitches; materials needed; color schemes.

To obtain this pattern send 20 cents in coin (stamps cannot be accepted) to Hatcher Arts Department, Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McEwen Ave. E. Winnipeg.

There is no Alice Brooks pattern book published

WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

Two Italian diplomats were reported to have deserted their military regiments and entered France to enlist in the French Legion.

Harry Broaden of Weston, Ont., celebrated his 70th birthday on May 2 by stepping into an aeroplane and flying to Vancouver in 12 minutes.

First to answer a call from Police Chief Fisdale for 1,000 men to act as special constables during the visit of the King and Queen to Niagara Falls, Ont., was an Italian citizen.

Sir Ernest MacMillan, principal of the Toronto Conservatory of Music, in an interview at Edmonton advocated national scholarships in Canada to aid impoverished musicians of exceptional talent.

Anthony Eden, former foreign secretary and newly promoted to the rank of major in the Territorial army, defended parliament's conscription decision as democratic and "expressing the nation's will."

Thomas Forbes, British author-explorer, announced she had bought an island in the British West Indies called Eleuthera, "eight miles from civilization," where she would make her home.

Japanese embassy officials announced opening in Shanghai of a new Japanese-controlled bank, called the Hushang Commercial Bank, capitalized at 500,000,000 Shanghai dollars (\$10,000,000).

Admiral Lord Chatfield, minister for co-ordination of defence, said that with his plans for conscription, Britain would have well over 1,000,000 men for active defence without calling on reserves or the civilian defence services.

J. H. Ross, in charge of the Alberta program under the Dominion-provincial youth training scheme, announced 40 new Alberta centres which may have recreational centres next winter. Last winter 33 communities in Alberta accepted training centres.

Interesting Speculation

Many European Thrones Have Been Offered To Englishmen

It is an interesting speculation whether the recent history of Eastern Europe might be well over 1,000 years different had certain Englishmen been more ambitious—or less prudent. No fewer than three British—the late Lord Beaulieu, Sir Charles Watkin Hamilton, and the first Lord Inchape—were offered the throne of Albania, and it was rumored some years ago that a good many Hungarians were prepared to nominate Lord Rothemann as their sovereign.

The first Marquis of Milford Haven, when still Prince of Battenberg, was officially offered the crown of Bulgaria, and before Prince George of Denmark accepted the throne of Greece, it was rumored that it could be his "for the lifting of an eyebrow." Manchester Guardian.

Walking Licenses

Issued To South African Children Familiar With Traffic Laws

Walking licenses are issued to children in Malvern West School, Johannesburg, South Africa, which is teaching its pupils to be "traffic-minded."

The licenses are issued after an examination on the following subjects:

How to cross the street.

Playing on street.

Dangers of hanging on the backs of cars.

Giving other children lifts on a bicycle.

If a license-holder breaks any rule, he will be brought before a jury of pupils who can inflict penalties such as fines or endorse the culprit's license.

A Strange Cargo

Boat Docks At Halifax With Ship ment Of Two-Hundred Snakes

Every now and then a modern Nautilus arrives in Halifax with a cargo including from voracious men-keys up, but the last arrival was a shipment of two-hundred snakes aboard the Rotterdam-Lloyd freighter Kota Intenz. The snakes, known to naturalists as crotalophora, are endowed with deluxe equipment, consisting of an eye, an ear, an upper lip to their body a short distance from their head. The reptiles belong to A. Fohl, of Williamstown, N.Y.

Experiments have indicated that dull blue walls in operating rooms are helpful to the surgeon, because sea eye strain than white.

Ornithologists have determined that 800 distinct species, with 1,200 subspecies, of birds exist today.

Consider It Great Honor

New York Front Of Being Intrusted With Magna Carta

Mayor F. H. LaGuardia and Police Commissioner Lewis J. Valentine guided by 45 policemen delivered one of the four original copies of the Magna Carta to the British pavilion at the New York World's Fair, Godfrey D. N. Haggard, British Consul General in New York, handed the historical document, over to the Mayor and Commissioner Valentine at the British Consulate, 25 Broadway, and accompanied them to the Fair site in Flushing.

The document, lent to the British pavilion by the Dean and Chapter of Lincoln Cathedral, arrived in New York aboard the Cunard White Star liner Queen Mary. Signed by King John at Runnymede in 1215 at the insistence of his barons, the scroll is framed in a heavy case and protected by glass that a black shadow.

"I wish to extend my sincere thanks to you, Mr. Mayor," said Sir

Beale, British Commissioner General to the Fair, as the scroll was delivered, "for this guard of honor for the transportation of such a precious document. It is a treasure beyond price, and in this city and in this spot it is in the safest possible place."

"It is a great honor to the Mayor and to the Police Department to be intrusted with this great document," Sir Beale replied, "since 1215, it is through Magna Carta that no person is beyond the law and no person is subject to one man. It represents a basic principle of democracy and we are pleased that it has arrived safely."

As the document was turned over to the Mayor, 30 policemen, stood guard. The Mayor's car was escorted by the Fair guards, the 12 motorcycle patrolmen and two sergeants. The scroll will be displayed in the Hall of Democracy in the pavilion.

Helium-Oxygen Mixture

New Discovery Said To Assist Infants In Breathing

An infant lung, with each breath, to breathe, the child grows more and more tired. Soon he will stop trying entirely. If there were only some way to lessen the work those little lungs must do. There is a way, writes Dr. Norman Goldsmith in "The Scientific American."

It is a very long time ago, said to breathe an oxygen-helium mixture, they need only do about half the work as if they were breathing ordinary air. In what conditions is the helium-oxygen mixture of use?

As asthma, certain anasthesia difficulties, any obstruction of the passages, and asphyxia of the newborn. If we take the infant who is struggling so pitifully, and place him in the helium atmosphere, his chest wall smooths out and he breathes comfortably.

Already the helium-oxygen mixture has been employed in New York, Washington, San Francisco, Boston, Cincinnati and the Mayo Clinic.

Small Cars

Methods Adopted In Britain To Cope With Increased Traffic

British tobacco and automobile manufacturers are planning so-called budget packages of cigarettes and even smaller cars to cope with increased traffic for rearmament.

At first it appeared the new cigarette pack would throw thousands of vending machines out of commission. Then manufacturers decided to charge the same price per package of two less cigarettes.

The 25-shilling (\$3.85) per horsepower tax on automobiles brought plans from at least two manufacturers for tiny cars. Some are said to develop about six horsepower with a top speed of 50 miles an hour.

Just about 100 miles to the gallon. Some of the new cars will be in production at once.

Prove It Yourself

Glasgow Bulletin Has Worked Out Some Of Its Interesting Problems

Some one asked me, says the Glasgow Bulletin, how long it would take to smoke a ton of cigarettes at the rate of a packet of 20 per day. I made a rough guess, and said 20 years. But I didn't reckon on the fact that it takes six cigarettes to make one pound. Actually the answer is 112 years 356 days, and that would be no less than 12,000. If you don't believe me, just work it out for yourself.

Nature's Water Bottles

Modern Nature's water bottles are formed when silica-impregnated water filters through rocks and air cavities. Quartz crystals gradually line the walls of the cavity, and a water-tight gasket is formed. So far, not one of the modern specimens has sprung a leak.

Gardening

NEAREST SPRING-DAY FLATTENERS
By Anne Adams

Aside from the planning and planting, no really important work in the garden is so important as the work of the hoe. It is the work of the hoe that makes the garden a garden. It is the work of the hoe that makes the garden a garden. It is the work of the hoe that makes the garden a garden.

Particularly in the summer garden where visitors and children soon wear grass thin along the edges of flower beds or between the rows of the sowing, or after regular paths are of very practical value. With a little care, the hoe will make the garden a garden.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON
MAY 14

PAUL EVANGELIZES A PROVINCE
Lesson: Acts 18:18-20; 38; Ephesians 2:13.

Golden text: But now in Christ Jesus ye are all one, whether ye be Jews or Gentiles, in the bond of Christ, Ephesians 2:13.

Devotional reading: Ephesians 2:13.

Explanations and Comments

Paul's Labors in Ephesus, Acts 19:1-20. It was when Apollon was in Corinth that Paul, after passing through the inland districts, came down to Ephesus (Moffatt's translation).

On arriving at Ephesus, Paul followed his customary method of speaking first to the Jews in the synagogue. For three months he preached there, but instead of heeding his message the Jews "hardened their hearts."

As some grew stubborn and disobedient, deprecating the Way in the presence of the multitude, he left them, withdrew his disciples, and continued his argument with few men.

From the fourth to the twelfth year of Tyrannus (Moffatt's translation), Tyrannus was probably a Gentile who had a school of philosophy, and Paul may have seemed to the Ephesians to be one of the wandering professors of philosophy.

One important manuscript and certain other authorities add that Paul was in Ephesus for the fifth hour of the month.

If this is an authentic detail, we have an interesting insight into Paul's habits of life and work. He was in the city for the fifth hour of the month, or for the fifth hour of the day.

After business hours. Beginning work before sunrise, as was the custom in all Roman cities, Paul labored at his trade until the fifth hour, one hour before noon. The lecture room would not be in use after that hour.

For two years Paul continued to teach in the school of Tyrannus, and all that dwell in Asia heard the word of the Lord, both Jews and Greeks. Visitors to the city on their return carried news of the great preacher to every out-of-the-corner of the province.

The Seven Churches of Asia mentioned in Revelation 1:4, 11 were founded.

Special miracles wrought by Paul at Ephesus. These were the magical arts burned their books, and "mightily grew the word of the Lord and prevailed."

An Old Violin

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON
MAY 14

PAUL EVANGELIZES A PROVINCE
Lesson: Acts 18:18-20; 38; Ephesians 2:13.

Golden text: But now in Christ Jesus ye are all one, whether ye be Jews or Gentiles, in the bond of Christ, Ephesians 2:13.

Devotional reading: Ephesians 2:13.

Explanations and Comments

Paul's Labors in Ephesus, Acts 19:1-20. It was when Apollon was in Corinth that Paul, after passing through the inland districts, came down to Ephesus (Moffatt's translation).

On arriving at Ephesus, Paul followed his customary method of speaking first to the Jews in the synagogue. For three months he preached there, but instead of heeding his message the Jews "hardened their hearts."

As some grew stubborn and disobedient, deprecating the Way in the presence of the multitude, he left them, withdrew his disciples, and continued his argument with few men.

From the fourth to the twelfth year of Tyrannus (Moffatt's translation), Tyrannus was probably a Gentile who had a school of philosophy, and Paul may have seemed to the Ephesians to be one of the wandering professors of philosophy.

One important manuscript and certain other authorities add that Paul was in Ephesus for the fifth hour of the month.

If this is an authentic detail, we have an interesting insight into Paul's habits of life and work. He was in the city for the fifth hour of the month, or for the fifth hour of the day.

After business hours. Beginning work before sunrise, as was the custom in all Roman cities, Paul labored at his trade until the fifth hour, one hour before noon. The lecture room would not be in use after that hour.

For two years Paul continued to teach in the school of Tyrannus, and all that dwell in Asia heard the word of the Lord, both Jews and Greeks. Visitors to the city on their return carried news of the great preacher to every out-of-the-corner of the province.

The Seven Churches of Asia mentioned in Revelation 1:4, 11 were founded.

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TOPICS VITAL INTEREST
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MILLIONS OF CHILDREN PROTECTED AGAINST DIPHTHERIA

Over three million adults and children in France, over two million in Canada and over one million in the State of New York alone, up to the end of 1935 been given toxoid as a preventive against diphtheria.

Toxoid is universally believed to be innocuous even to the youngest child. Its powerful effect in the control of diphtheria has been proven over and over again.

The annual Gennett of Paris says that toxoid is successful in the prevention of diphtheria in 90 to 98 per cent of cases.

Diphtheria is disappearing from France. It has practically disappeared from the French army because every soldier is compelled to be toxoided. It is rapidly disappearing from the cities and country districts of France, where in 1935 there were 87 deaths, the mortality having dropped from eighty to less than three per hundred thousand of population.

Toxoid against diphtheria is compulsory not only in France but also in Hungary, Rumania, Poland and in the city of Geneva, Switzerland.

Because of the use of toxoid on this side of the Atlantic, Canada and the United States are eliminating diphtheria. Fourteen of the smaller Canadian cities where toxoid has been in use, have been free of diphtheria deaths for periods of five to ten years.

If you, by the rising generation of children are protected by the use of toxoid, diphtheria as a major problem will soon disappear from our midst.

Editorial Note: Readers desiring the complete set of Dr. McCullough's cancer articles at once by a special sale in writing to The Health League of Canada, 105 Bond St., Toronto, Ont.

With speeches and much playing of the "Marsellus" the Eiffel Tower celebrated its 50th anniversary in Paris when a "birthday party" was held in the first floor of the 975-foot structure.

The average motorist had an annual tire bill of \$176 30 years ago; today, he spends less than a tenth of that amount for six times the tire mileage.

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Insect Control

Methods For Dealing With Pests That Invade The Home

Throughout the world, there is a constant warfare between mankind and the insects, stated Dr. Arthur Gibson, Dominion Entomologist, in a recent address. In the whole world over 600,000 different kinds of insects have been studied and classified, and probably as many more distinct species await classification. Fortunately only a comparatively small number of insects inflict human losses, but those that do are objects of abhorrence. Every dwelling in Canada is subject to invasion by these creatures.

The well-known housefly found in all parts of the world spreads poisonous organisms by carrying these on the hairs or other external surfaces of its bodies to human foodstuffs, including liquids, or even to the human body. This insect is notorious for the part it plays in the dissemination of dangerous diseases, such as typhoid, infectious diarrhoea, tuberculosis, cholera, and dysentery. From what has been said, it should be realized that measures should be taken to exclude the housefly from dwellings and prevent it from contaminating food.

Clothes moths and carpet beetles cause substantial damage to materials of animal origin, such as clothing, upholstered furniture, furs, and carpets. These insects are present in greatest numbers in spring and summer. Materials subject to attack should not be left undisturbed for long periods, particularly during the summer, in closets, trunks, and other receptacles, unless precautions are taken to protect them.

Other unwelcome insects found in dwellings are bedbugs, fleas, cockroaches, silverfish, and ants. Bedbug control not infrequently requires fumigation with a deadly gas which should be used only by an experienced licensed operator. If the infestation is light, control may be obtained by spraying crevices and cracks in walls or other places where the bugs may be hiding. A useful spray may be made by adding eight fluid ounces of creosol to one gallon of water. The same mixture is useful for destroying fleas. Infestations of cockroaches, silverfish, and ants may be disposed of by dusting sodium fluoride in the places frequented by these insects, care being taken to keep domestic animals or children away from the powder which is poisonous.

Full information on the destruction of insect pests may be obtained on charge from the Division of Entomology, Dominion Department of Agriculture, Ottawa. Not only do officers of the Division of Entomology deal with problems relating to insect enemies destructive to homes, but they also investigate the habits of insects which attack farm, fruit, and vegetable crops, and products kept in store. A useful spray may be made by adding eight fluid ounces of creosol to one gallon of water.

A Puzzling World

With Plenty For Everyone People Are Hungry And Thirsty

What a world this is! Science writers report inventions which simplify labour and multiply goods. Food can be made from skimmed milk. Rubber is being made out of sulphur or coal tar. Glass is spun into cloth for shimmering gowns. Automobile parts and airplanes are made from soy beans. Fertilizer can be produced out of air, beefsteaks are ripened by violet rays. There is no need to fear hunger, since synthetic substitutes offer endless varieties of food materials. Yet, amid this efficiency and abundance of plenty, millions of people are hungry, ragged and homeless. School children are worrying about the death of customers for their store of goods. What a world! Toronto Globe.

A White Elephant

Can Be Something Besides A Sacred Animal Of India

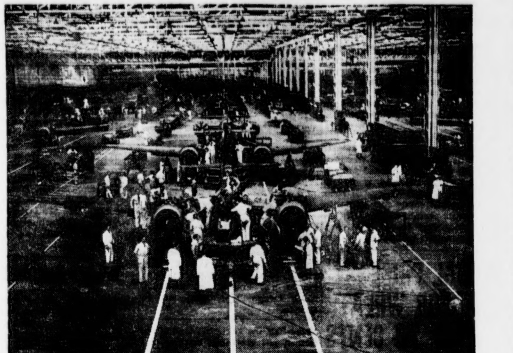
A reader asks for the explanation of the commonly used term, "White Elephant." Here's Webster's definition:

(1) An elephant of India of which more or less of the usual tawny pigment is absent from the skin, giving it a pure, ivory-colored appearance. (2) Hence, something requiring care and expense and yielding little profit, any burdensome possession.

Of course modern kitchens are smaller than the old-fashioned ones. You don't require so much room to open a can.

A \$4,000,000 German company has been formed to spread the growth of cotton in Southeastern Europe.

BRITISH PLANTS MANUFACTURE PLANES IN GREAT NUMBERS



Concrete evidence that Great Britain is rapidly overhauling the leaders in the armament race is this picture taken in Lancashire at the gigantic Rootes airplane factory. The planes shown being assembled are the fast Bristol Blenheim bombers, one of the fastest bombing planes now being produced.

A Man Of Genius

Lord Tavecnair Had Great Admirers For Lawrence Of Arabia

If Lawrence of Arabia were still alive and unimpaired mentally and physically by the Great War, he might be the reorganizer of the British Empire's "imperfect defence," Lord Tavecnair told the Montreal United Service Institution.

"He has left no successor. I fear of the same quality," the Governor-General said.

Lawrence, who at the age of 26, led the Arabs against the Turks, was a man of genius, said Lord Tavecnair. "I am not a hero-worshiper, but I think I could have followed him over the edge of the world."

Due to the breach in Lawrence's character between the dreamer and the man of action, the Governor-General believed, his was a greater career "than never quite came to fruition."

In the art of warfare, Lawrence revived the strategy of such men as Napoleon and struck by indirect methods at the enemy's power. Waging his Arabian campaign, the British leader practised indirect approach, smashing at the nerve centre and morale of the Turks.

Books At Celebration

Jack Miner celebrated his 74th birthday by rising at 5 a.m. to view the flocks of migrating geese, ducks and swans on his Kingsville estate.

By their presence, says the Montreal Gazette, the feathered friends showed their appreciation of his kindness and it will be well for them if he enjoys more happy returns of the day.

According to recent figures, 327 German refugee scholars have been permanently re-established in 37 countries, and 200 temporarily placed in 25 countries.

Cost Comparatively Small

Film Industry Makes Rare Documents Available To Research Students

The development of a specialized branch of the film industry is bringing greater facilities to research students, who frequently find themselves handicapped by the impossibility of securing copies of rare books, newspapers and documents, states the Victoria Times. A machine has been made available which presents the filmed reproduction of the required material. As there is no limit to the number of film copies that may be made, rare and valuable documents need no longer be subjected to the wear and tear of constant perusal, and any library may secure a "copy."

These films can be readily stored and indexed. By installing the necessary machines, a library commands the whole of the world's output of learning for its readers' benefit. The cost of the new process of documentation is comparatively small, and naturally, when it becomes more generally used, the cost will become still smaller. It is not unlikely that in the near future film reading machines will become a part of the standard equipment of all libraries.

Thoughtful Man

It was Sunday afternoon; she was knitting on the sofa, he was reading and dreaming in the armchair. "John," he said, "have you thought of the Canary?"

"Yes," "Have you fed him?" "No," "Have you given him water?" "No," "Now what have you done?" "Thought of him."

One of the oldest games in England is in vogue; it dates back four centuries.

Radio Plays

Canadian Broadcasting Corporation Announces Prize Awards

The Canadian Broadcasting Corporation announced award of \$200 first prize to Noel Watts of Victoria in the CBC's nation-wide contest for radio plays. He wrote an imaginative, half-hour drama, "Hang the Poets at Dawn."

Marjorie Jordan, Brantford, Ont., took \$150 second prize for "The Doctor's Wife," a story of character transaction during a forest fire. "White Accents," by E. G. Archibald, Timmins, Ont., gained \$100 for third prize with his story of an immigrant's conversion to Canadianism.

Fourth prize of \$50 went to Mr. Turner and Charles Carruthers, London, Ont., for a stirring drama "Bent Must Watch," concerning an incident in Upper Canada after the rebellion of 1837.

CBC officials expressed satisfaction with results of the contest conducted to foster radio writing in the Dominion.

Buy From Local Stores

Buying from local stores is the wise way of purchasing. When goods are bought at the door from strangers, there is no guarantee either of quality or of quantity. Local storekeepers must guard their reputations, while a door-to-door salesman may be in another town ere the defects are found in the goods.

Saved Cannon Balls

During his defense of Metz in 1552, Francis, Duke of Guise, used nuts in his cannon to bombard attacking Spanish forces. By using this "ammunition" during ordinary assaults, he conserved his cannon balls for enemy mass attacks.

Christopher Columbus set out on his voyage of discovery on a Friday.

Preserving Canada's Elk

Shipment Is Sent From Buffalo National Park To Saskatchewan

Another shipment of elk from Buffalo National Park to Saskatchewan is reported by the Department of Mines and Resources, Ottawa. Twenty-one elk were shipped from Whitecourt, Alberta, to Shipman, Saskatchewan, a rancher adding northeast of Prince Albert, where the animals will be released. The elk were in splendid condition when loaded and in order to ensure their safe delivery they were placed in four separate compartments, and were accompanied by a park warden.

This is the second carload of elk to be transferred to Saskatchewan, a game preserve in the southwestern part of the province. Hunters in the Cypress Hills area are taking a particular interest in the elk and report that this initial group has increased to 37. The stocking of suitable areas with these animals provides an outlet for the elk surplus to the existing capacity of the National Park, and arrangements have been completed for a further shipment of approximately 25 female elk to Cypress Park, which will go forward at a future date.

Once threatened with extinction, vast herds of elk now range in several of the national parks of Western Canada, and the restoration of the family in different parts of the prairie provinces is considered a conservation effort of the first rank.

A Deserved Promotion

Door Of Opportunity Is Still Open To Men Of Outstanding Ability

A short article tucked away on an inside page contains a story which should interest Canadians. It states that G. C. Monture, editor-in-chief of the Department of Mines and Resources, has been appointed chief of the division of economics of the Dominion Bureau of Mines. Added information tells how, at 42, Mr. Monture has already had a distinguished career in the public service.

The extraordinary part of Mr. Monture's story is that he is a native of the Six Nations Reserve at Brantford and a great-grandson of the famous Iroquois chief, Joseph Brant.

Mr. Monture's career in the public service is proof that in this country most doors are still open to people of outstanding ability, whatever their race may be. It is also an indication that ability is not confined to the ivory white man. Brant's qualities of leadership were unquestioned and his descendants might be expected to show unusual gifts. But it is comforting to note that we have not taken the country entirely away from the Indians. Mr. Monture is living evidence that the race is not inferior in intellectual attainment to other Canadians. His people should be proud of him, and other Canadians should be glad that he has had an opportunity to make the most of his talents. London Free Press.

Supplies of native wheat in Belgium are said to be small.

Reunion Island

Where France Keeps A Prisoner Who May Prove Valuable

On a tiny island in the Indian ocean, France has a St. Helena. Here she keeps her most valuable prisoner against the day when she might need this light for her African empire.

Reunion Island is Reunion, a tiny speck 450 miles to the east of Madagascar. Its area is 970 square miles, its population 197,000.

Reunion has unique importance in French colonial history. It is here that France has sent her most exalted prisoners, native emperors, queens, chieftains who got into difficulties with the republic.

The most prominent inhabitant of Reunion is Abd-el-Krim, leader of the Rif rebellion in Morocco during the early twenties. Abd has lived on the island since 1926 when, after surrendering to the French, he was exiled with two of his wives and those kinsmen who insisted on sharing his fate. At present, his household consists of 30 persons.

Repeatedly Abd has assured the French of his loyalty and offered to make a sporting movement among the natives of interior Morocco. Not long ago he asked the French government to let his two sons enter the military academy of St. Cyr.

The committee on colonies of the French chamber of deputies is reported to be drafting an offer of a garden of Abd. Which, of course, would make his exile in this case he probably would settle in Paris, so as to be on hand in case of a North African war.

No Sporting Adventure

Every Detail Of Yankee Clipper's Flight Carefully Planned

Captain Harold E. Gray's account of the inspection trip made by the Yankee Clipper to Europe and back with 21 passengers thrown into strong relief the fact that in this Right Pan American Airways did not undertake a sporting adventure or tempt fate by indulging in a boastful gesture, says the New York Sun.

Every detail of the flight, which preceded it. This is shown in small things having to do with passengers' comfort as well as the rebuilding and installation in flight of a cabin heater, as well as in large things such as the efficiency of the basic facilities. Even the exercises of the weather reports. The painstaking preliminary arrangements contributed their share to the admirable record made by the airplane, whose qualities are established by the fact that its performance coincided with amazing exactness with the forecast which preceded its take-off. The route followed involved 11,000 miles of flying and 120 hours of the airman's time within 12 minutes of that actually consumed.

The Yankee Clipper's performance is further testimony to the dependability of the airplane for regularly scheduled flights. For several years that dependability has been demonstrated over land and sea in commercial air services consistently maintained; the trans-Atlantic passage underscores the record.

Has Variety Of Cases

Red Cross Nurse Serves In Isolated Outpost On West Coast

Miss R. A. McPhee, Regina graduate nurse, ministers to the medical needs of the handful of whites and 200 Indians at Kiyukop, B.C., where the population of the isolated west coast Vancouver Island outpost.

In charge of the Canadian Red Cross Society hospital there, the former Vancouver girl faces a variety of cases almost every day. Trappers and fishermen, as well as Indians, come to her for advice in time of illness.

The nearest doctor is at Babalon, the new gold, camp town 45 miles north and six hours from Kiyukop by gauntlet. The nearest point to the west coast is Port Allen, also only by gauntlet by traversing the rough waters around Cape Cook or by plane.

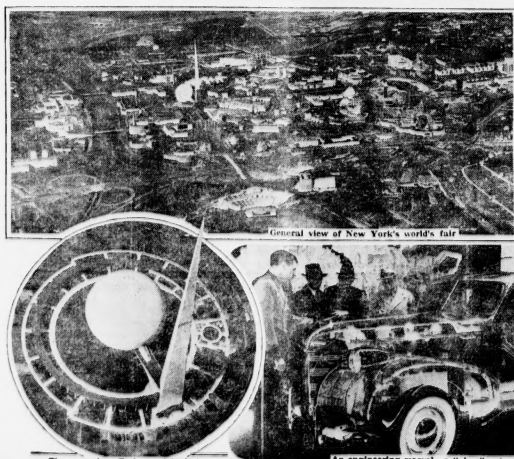
Only recently established Miss McPhee already has been credited with saving several lives by administering emergency treatment. In serious cases she gives the aid, then calls a plane by radio telephone to take the patient to the nearest hospital.

Within a 20-mile radius of St. Paul's Cathedral, London, 171 different types of wild bird life have been observed.

A boom belt in the car can't be as dangerous as a light out behind the wheel.

Japan has begun to grow Virginia tobacco with success.

NEW YORK'S WORLD'S FAIR OPENS PAGEANT OF WONDERS



General view of New York's world's fair

Theme center—Troyon and Pershore

An engineering marvel—a "glass" automobile

Forecasting the wonders of the "world of to-morrow," the New York world's fair opened April 30—presenting a vast pageant of engineering marvels to which the entire world is flocking. Covering a vast acreage of the Flushing meadows of Long Island, the fair is one of the most ambitious exhibitions of skill and genius. The lighter side, entertainment and recreation, also is not neglected.

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THAT EXTRA TEN CENTS

Announcement was made from Ottawa last Wednesday that the Hon. W.D. Falar had introduced an amendment to the Canadian Wheat Board Act whereby the proposed minimum price for wheat would be raised from the previously mentioned 60¢ per bushel to 70¢ per bushel, up to a maximum of 5,000 bushels to be marketed by any one farmer. Along with this will go the acreage bonus scheme, which will give farmers who do not have a crop some means whereby they will be able to carry on.

While the 70¢ per bushel does not make it profitable for the farmer in Western Canada to grow wheat, it will give him some measure of security in that he will know before hand what he may expect for his crop. On the other hand the acreage bonus scheme is necessary to provide the farmer who is unfortunate in not having a crop with at least a livelihood. Think what it would have meant to the hauled-out farmers of Carbon had the acreage bonus scheme been in effect last three years.

It is evident that the Broken Committee has done much good in bringing to the notice of the Government the necessity of a higher price than

60¢ per bushel for wheat, and the protest of Western farmers and other organizations has had its effect in also bringing the wheat marketing question fairly before the government members who were advocating the lower price.

Western Canada cannot carry on under 60¢ wheat, nor can this country make any material progress on the wheat. The future of the price still hangs in the balance and it does not appear that it will be satisfactorily settled for some time to come.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS

IN THE MATTER OF THE
ESTATE OF ELMER JEROME
HILL, late of the Village of Carbon,
in the Province of Alberta,
Carpenter, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above named Elmer Jerome Hill who died on the first day of February A.D. 1939, are required to file with Mrs. Irene Garrett, administrator, Carbon, Alberta, by the first day of July, 1939, a full statement duly verified of their claims and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the administrator will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or which have been brought to her knowledge. Dated this 6th day of May, A.D. 1939.

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Snick-fitz



McNab was imploring Mary Melinda to marry him, but she objected: "Ye ken Ah canna, Tossell, till Ah have used a' the fifty cards Ah has prentit for vesceit!"

"And what," she asked, "should a little boy say to the lady who has given him a penny for carrying her bundles?"

"It dae nae tell you," replied the modern youth.

Mrs. Jones: "How are the eggs? They were flown here by air mail direct from the farm."

John: "Humph! One more day and they could have flown here by themselves."

Doris: "When is your sister thinking of getting married?"

Ben: "Constantly."

Beneath this stone lies Murphy. They buried him today; He lived the life of Riley—While Riley was away.

Miss Dumm: "I'm so sorry to hear of your motorizing accident."

Miss Dumm: "Oh thanks; it's nothing, I expect to live through many more."

Miss Dumm: "Oh, I hope not."

"Yes, the smallest things seem to upset my wife. The other day she was solving a crossword puzzle and asked me what a female sheep was, I said 'Ewe' and she burst into tears."

Voice on phone: "Could you send over some pecans right away?"

Fond Aunt: "Oh, in, I guess he must be rich, because I heard the State of New York is offering \$10,000 for information about him."

Caller: "And did your nephew make a fortune in America as he expected?"

Fond Aunt: "Oh, in, I guess he must be rich, because I heard the State of New York is offering \$10,000 for information about him."

THEFT-PROOFING CARS

Is your car theft-proof? You may feel certain that it is, but it has been claimed that there is no car on the streets today which is theft proof if a car thief wants to take it away.

There are ways of making it more difficult to drive the car away but even the fanciest locks will not stop the professional thief.

For those who desire to make their cars as theft-proof as possible here is a hot tip from a car thief who admitted that he stole hundreds of cars before he landed in the penitentiary, where he is now.

"You find a car that has license plates attached to their won't come off and I'll show you a car that won't be stolen, even if the key is in the lock and the motor is running," he says.

"Before I even touch a car, I look to see how secure the plates are put on. I'd rather steal a second-hand car than run the risk of getting to my hung-out under the original tags."

The suggestion of this professional car thief is to weld the license plates to the plate holder, which no doubt could be done at any good garage and removed by a good mechanic at the end of the year when new plates have

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